Interview #11 STAY HOME, STAY GEEK — DLab connects during COVID-19

What are researchers thinking and working on during this challenging time?

The COVID-19 pandemic has impacted significantly the activities of Tokyo Tech researchers, many of whom can no longer conduct planned experiments and fieldwork as before. This challenging situation, however, can also be viewed as an opportunity to rethink our research activities and the future we hope to achieve.

In the Stay Home, Stay Geek interview series, DLab asks some of Tokyo Tech's leading researchers about their current thoughts, research activities, and messages to students as they remain at home. Each interview is conducted by one of three DLab members — Institute for Liberal Arts (ILA) Associate Professor and Future of Humanity Research Director Center Asa Ito, Professor Tamio Nakano of the Tokyo Tech Academy for Leadership (ToTAL), or Institute of Innovative Research (IIR) Professor and DLab Associate Director Naoto Ohtake.

<u>Interview #11</u> — the latest interview and first to be conducted in English — features Dr. Ludovico Minati, a researcher at Tokyo Tech's IIR.

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	Interviewee	Video	Language	Interviewer
1	Kenichi Okada Professor, School of Engineering	STAY HOME, STAY	Japanese	Asa Ito
2	Shinjiro Kanae Professor, School of Environment and Society, ToTAL	STAY HOME, STAY	Japanese	Tamio Nakano
3	Yuki Yamaguchi Professor, School of Life Science and Technology	STAY HOME, STAY	Japanese	Asa Ito
4	Takashi Ishida Associate Professor, School of Computing	STAY HOME, STAY	Japanese	Asa Ito
5	Hideki Shirakawa Nobel laureate, Tokyo Tech alum	STAY HOME, STAY GEEK	Japanese	Naoto Ohtake
6	Hiroyuki Ito Associate Professor, IIR	STAY HOME STAY GEEK	Japanese	Asa Ito

7	Nobuhiro Chijiwa Associate Professor, School of Environment and Society	STAY HOME, STAY GEEK	Japanese	Tamio Nakano
8	Hiroichi Yanase Professor, ILA	STAY HOME STAY GEEK	Japanese	Asa Ito
9	Ryo Murata Associate Professor, School of Environment and Society	STAY HOME, STAY GEEK	Japanese	Tamio Nakano
10	Ken Ohmori Associate Professor, School of Science	STAY HOME, STAY GEEK	Japanese	Tamio Nakano
11	Ludovico Minati Visiting associate professor, IIR	STAY HOME, STAY GEEK	English	Asa Ito